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Aug 27—3m.

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[Boston Traveller, Sept., 1554.

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PROSPECTUS

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"WASHINGTON SENTINEL."

I PROPOSE to publish in the city of Washing ton, in September, a political newspaper, under the name of the WASHINGTON SENTI

NEL.

In doing so, it is proper I should make known the principles it will maintain, and the policy it will advocate.

It will support cordially and earnestly the principles of the Democratic party of the United States it does not propose to be the organ of any Department of the Government, except in so far as an independent maintenance of the doctrines of that

arty may represent its opinions and express its

It will not be ambitious to commend itself to the people by a blind flattery of their rulers. It will seek public support by the bold avowal of the sentiments which are common to the genuine Democracy of the Union, and by the condemnation of all such as may conflict with them, from whatever quarter they may come. It will seek to be (and it will endeavor to deserve the title) the organ of the Democratic party of the United States.

States.

The Sentinel will maintain, as a fundamenta truth of that great party, that the States formed the Union between them by the ratification of the Constitution as a compact; by which, also, they created the Federal Government, and delegated to it, as their common agent, the powers expressly specified in it, with an explicit reservation of all others to the States, or to their separate governments. The exercise of any powers beyond these thus delegated, is, therefore, an usurpation of the reserved authority of the States by the agent of their own creation. their own creation

their own creation.

The Sentingle will uphold and defend the Union upon the basis of the rights of the States—under the Constitution—and thus by sedulously guarding the latter, it will the more effectually strengthen

With regard to the exercise of the powers of the Federal Government, the SENTINEL will take as the principles of its action, that Congress shall exercise no power which has not been delegated by the Constitution, according to a strict and fair inthe Constitution, according to a strict and fair in-terpretation of its language and spirit; and that it shall not seek to attain indirectly an object through the exercise of constitutional power, for the direct attainment of which it has no delegation of power. In other words, all powers exercised must be clearly granted, and all granted powers must be used for no purpose, except such as is clearly in-tended by the Constitution.

tended by the Constitution.

In respect to the internal administration of the Government, the Sentinel will sustain the settled policy of the Democratic party. It will labor to inculcate this cardinal doctrine of Democratic in ternal policy:—that this Government will best promote the freedom and prosperity of the people of the States, by being less ambitious to exercise power, and more anxious to preserve liberty; and by leaving to the individual States the management of all their domestic concerns—while it contents itself with guarding the confederacy from external violence, and directing the foreign policy of the country to the promotion of the common interests, and defence of the common rights, and honor of the States composing it. onor of the States composing it.

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The Sentinel will advocate such a progressive foreign policy as will suit itself to the exigencies, and correspond with the expanding interests of the country. That policy should be energetic and decided; but should temper firmness with liberality and make its highest ends consist with the strictest principles of justice. The real interests of the country, upon each occasion demanding attention will be its guide in the course the Sentinel will sursue.

The national policy of the world in this age is essentially aggressive. In the growing sense of weakness of some of the nations of the Old World, and the ambitious restlessness of others, a common motive to colonial extension has developed

from abroad with our domestic concerns, will prompt us to avoid it in the affairs of other coun prompt us to avoid it in the abairs of other countries, unless by their foreign or colonial policy our peace should be threatened, our security endan gered, or our interests invaded. For when the selfish interests of other nations prompt a foreign or colonial policy which infringes upon our rights, and places in the pathway of our commerce a dangerous and unfriendly rival, such a policy must resisted by remonstrance, and, if need be, by

Our foreign policy should, indeed, be defensive; but to be properly defensive, it must sometimes be apparently aggressive. Our administration should be vigilant, watchful, and energetic. The world is full of important movements, commercial and political, deeply concerning American trade and American power. It is time we had an American foreign policy. We must have it. We cannot avoid it if we would. We have larger interests, and a greater steke in the world and its destiny, then avoid it if we would. We have larger interests, and a greater stake in the world and its destiny, than every other people. We occupy the best portion of a continent, with no neighbors but a colony, and a worn-out, anarchical despotism. We are the oliv people whose own land, without colonial defendencies, is washed by the two great oceans of the world. Our agricultural productions are more varied and more essential to civilized life, and to varied and more essential to civilized life, and to human progress—our mineral and manufacturing resources more vast—our facilities and capacity for internal and foreign commerce more extended than those of any other people living under one government. A continent, towa great extent, unexplored and exhaustless in its yet hidden wealth is at our feet. European trade seeks the great East through avenues which are at our doors, or must be made through our own limits. Europe, Asia, Africa, and the isless of the sea, lying all around us, look to us as the rising power, through the Africa, and the isles of the sea, lying all around us, look to us as the rising power, through the agency of whose example, and ever widening and extending, though penceful influences, the bless ings of liberty, civilization, and religion, are destined to triumph over the barbarism and superstition of the millions of the world. And shall such a people refuse to lay hold upon their destiny, and act upon the high mission to which it is called? A mission so full of hope, though so laden with responsibility, which, if properly directed, must make our confederacy the harbinger of peace to the world, as well as the peaceful arbiter of its destiny.

The SENTINEL will, therefore, advocate a bold The SENTINEL will, therefore, advocate a bold and earnest foreign policy, such as the condition of the country demands; but it will advocate it under the flag of the country—nowhere else. Its foreign policy must be consistent with the apotless honor and unimpeachable good faith of the country. To be respectable at home and abroad, and to be great if the eyes of the world, it must ask for nothing but what is right, and submit to nothing that is wrong. It must be liberal and magnanimous to the rights of others, and firm and immeveable in insisting on its own. It must, in fine, be true to insisting on its own. It must, in fine, be true to its own interests, rights, and honor—it cannot then be false to those of other nations.

Such, then, is the chart by which we shall be guided. Independent and free, we shall endeavor to be honest and truthful. The true friends of democratic principles we shall cordially support and defend. Its enemies in the field or in ambush we shall oppose, and on all proper occasions de

To our future brethren of the press we extend the hand of friendly greeting. The Sentinel is the rival of no press of its own party—the personal enemy of none of the other.

The present Democratic Administration has our the present Democratic Administration has our test wishes for its success in the establishment of the great principles upon which it came into power, and in its honest labors to attain such an end it will find the SENTINEL its friend and coadjutor.

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E. KEATING, Sup't C. & M. R. R.

UNDER GARMENTS just received,—I have just opened a full supply of Gentle-men's Under Shirts and Drawers, silk, merino, lambswool. Scotch do., Shaker, and Canton Flan-nels, &c., which I am now prepared to dispose of

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Thomas Brown, OF PENNSYLVANIA THE UNDERSIGNED offer their services to prosecute claims of every description before Congress and the different departments of the Office on 14th street, opposite Willard's Hotel Sep 29—tf BROWN & WINTER.

TO ALL WHO HAVE CLAIMS TO COLlect.—I am again Collector in Fairfax county Virginia, for two years from this day. My officia Virginia, for two years from this day. My official bond, with ample security, was given at June court, 19th June. I intend to devote my attention entirely to my business. From my long experience iff my business, acquaintance with the people, and faithful discharge of my duties heretofore, I am induced to solicit a portion of the public collections from those who intend to place their claims in the hands of an officer or agent. I will take a later to the property of the public collections from those who intend to place their claims in the hands of an officer or agent. take claims on any persons in my county for any amounts, and, if justified, will attend to the collec

tions of claims in the adjoining counties.

If any reference is wanting, I would refer to the clerks of my county and the attorneys of the bar here. All communications must be post paid Claims out of the State should be fully authenticated before sent to me for collection; I will col-lect, in my official capacity or as agent, as may be requested; if, as an officer, I charge legal fee only and which if the claim is made, the defendant has always to pay; and if as agent, the plaintiff must pay me ten per cent., if collected or sucured, and any legal cost I may be at to secure the debt. SPENCER JACKSON, Fairtax court-house, Virgini

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Miscelluneous.

GENUINE HEIDSIECK & CO. CHAMpagne.—The subscribers having been ap-upoited by Messrs. Heidsieck & Co. to succeed Mr. Charles Engler, heretofore sole agent in the in the United States for the sale of their Wines, who this day retires from business, respectfully call the attention of the public to the subjoined

call the attention of the public to the subjoined card.

The Messrs. Heidsteck & Co., as set forth therein, justly claim to be alone enabled to send to this country the genuine Heidsteck & Co. Champaigne, under the same name and style as originally introduced into this market, now nearly thirty years ago, they being sole proprietors of all the identical vineyards, cellars, &c., which the founders and originators of this celebrated brand had owned.

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We beg particularly to notice that their brand, still bears the same name of Heidsteck & Co., in full, by which it first became so favorably known, being thereby easily distinguished from other similar marks which have since appearad.

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peared and may hereafter appear in this market the name of our firm in full will be found on the hels and around the corks.

RHEIMS, March 5, 1846.

Feb 8—d2m

HEIDSIECK & CO.

Bill for Injunction. In the Circuit Court 1

Christopher Adams, complainant, James Guthrie, Amos Adams, Isaac N. Comstock, Samuel Byington, and Richard Wallach,

THIS bill of complaint in the above stated caus states, that the said complainant, on or about the twenty-fifth day of November. A. D., 1851, entered into a contract with the United States government, agreeing to supply the government with five mil-lion of brick for the extension of the Capitol. That said complainant, on or about the 12th day of January. A. D 1852, assigned to one Samuel Strong, the said contract; the said Strong agreeing and promising to pay to said complainant the sum of four thousand dollars.

The bill further states that the said Strong, on or about the 2d day of February, A. D. 1852, assigned the said contract, or one moiety thereof, to Amos Adams and Isaac N. Comstock, of the city of Albany and State of New York, and received from of Albany and State of New York, and received from the said Adams and Comstock their obligation or promise for the payment of four thousand dollars, or thereabout, as well as a lien of thirty per cent. on the moneys to be paid by the government on said contract, until the said sum of four thousand dollars should be paid which lien said Strong duly assigned to the complainant in this bill. The bill further states that sometime in the year 1852, the said Amos Adams and isane N. Comstock assigned their right, title, and interest in the contract to one Samuel Byington as partner and associate to one Sauuel Byington as partner and associate of Richard Wallach, the said Byington and Wallach having notice of the said lien of thirty per cent. on the moneys to be paid by the government and Saturdays.

n said contract.

The object of said bill is to obtain an injunction against said defendants inhibiting the said Jame against said defendants inhibiting the said James Guthrie, and all persons acting for him, from paying the said moneys to any of the defendants, or their representatives, and the defendants and their representatives from receiving the said moneys until the sum of thirty-six hundred dollars, and the interest thereon, should be paid to the complainant or his legal representatives, and such other and further decree as to this court shall seem right and proper. The said Amos court shall seem right and proper. The said Amos Adams and the said Isaac N. Comstock, named in the caption and body of the bill, still residing in Albany as aforesaid, beyond the reach of the pro-

It is, therefore, by the court ordered this 1st day of January, A. D. 1855, that the matters and things stated in the aforesaid bill of complaint against the defendants, shall be taken for confessed against the said Amos Adams and Isaac N. Comstock, and such decree made in the prenises against them, and each of them, as the court shall deem right, unless the said defendants appear in the court on or before the second Mon day in May next. and answer the said bill, and

show cause if any they have why a decree as prayed for by the complainant should not be passed by the court.

Provided the complainant cause this order, and the substance and the object of the said bill of the substance and the object of the said bill of complaint, to be published in some newspaper in the city of Washington, twice a week for six successive weeks, the first insertion thereof to appear at least four months before the second Monday in May next.

Given at rules, the first Monday of January, 1855, being the first day of January, 1855.

Test:

JOHN A. SMITH,

Clerk of the Circuit Court.

WASHINGTON COUNTY, D. C. S. SPENCER, et al.

JNO. A. SMITH. Clerk. True copy, Test: Jan 4-2aw6w PROSPECTUS OF THE NINTH VOLUME OF THE WASHINGTON SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS,

Devoted to City Affairs, Education, Literature, and General Intelligence.

THE Ninth Volume of this Paper being about to be commenced, the proprietor and editor, after making his grateful acknowledgments. editor, after making his grateful acknowledgments for the steady support which he has received during the last eight years, respectfully solicits a continuance of the same and such additional suppert as will enable him to continue his paper, as an independent journal, and in the support of those conservative and constitutional principles which were involved in the late municipal elecwhich were involved in the late municipal election, and which it is his fixed purpose to maintain, so long as he is connected with this or any other public journal. On his future course the editor deems it unnecessary to dilate. Suffice it to say, that while the original plan of his paper will be duly carried out, the editor will also feel himself bound by the convictions of duty and propriety, to maintain the constitutional rights of every native and adopted citizen, and to oppose every secret organization that is founded on a proscriptive and exclusive basis. What he intends to do in this respect may be judged of by what he has already written and published in the columns of this journal. To his friends, and the friends of civil and religious liberty, he respectfully appeals for adereligious liberty, he respectfully appeals for ade trate encouragement.
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Miscellaneous.

GENERAL AGENCY.—The undersigned of most respectfully informs, by this notice, his friends and the public in general, here and eslewhere, that he has opened an Agency Office for the prosecution of claims of every description against the government, before the several depart ments or Congress; procure pensions, bounty lands, extra pay, and arrearage pay, and will attend to the buying and selling of real estate, the renting of houses, and a general collecting business; he will also furnish parties at a distance with such information as they may desire from the seat of government. Charges will be modesate. Office, at present, will be on M near 15th rirect.

Hon. J. C. Dobbin, Secretary of the Navy.
Hon. J. Davis, Secretary of War.
N. Callan, esq., President of the Board of Common Council.
Gen. John M. McCalla, Attorney at Law. James H. Caustin, esq. W. C. Roddall, State Department. SAMUEL G. TAYLOR. Jan 17-tf

School.—The subscriber has removed his school to College Hill, where a commodious building is being fitted up for its reception.

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tained in an Address delivered by John H. B. Latrobe, of Maryland, before the Historical Soiety of Pennsylvania, November 8, 1854. Mirana Elliot, or the Voice of the Spirit, by Autobiography of Charles Caldwell, M. D., with Preface, Notes, and Appendix, by Harriet W

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